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HANNA VICTOR.

Gets 56 Votes in the House and 17 in the Senate.

McKisson, of Cleveland, Receives 49 Votes in House, 19 Senate.

Hanna Must Hold Every Vote in Order to Win in Joint Session.

Reported That Mayor McKisson Decla red in Favor of Chicago Platform.

Wiley, Warner and Lentz, Each Receive One Vote—Droste, Kemper, Joyce, Lane Manuel Vote for Hanna—McKisson Denies Being in Favor of Free Silver—Joint Ballot Tomorrow Noon Expected to Settle Hanna's Election.

Marcus A. Hanna received 56 votes in the House today and 17 in the Senate. If he receives the same vote tomorrow when the Senate and House meet in joint session, he will be elected Senator. The loss of one vote in tomorrow's balloting means a deadlock and Hanna's probable defeat. Mayor McKisson received 49 votes in the House today and 19 in the Senate, a total of 68. Representatives Droste, Kemper, Laner, Manuel and Joyce claimed by the opposition, voted for Hanna.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 11.—The roll-call of the house, when it convened at eleven o'clock, showed only one member absent—Representative Cramer, who was reported very ill at his hotel. The sargeant-at-arms was directed to bring him in.

A motion to dispense with further proceedings under the call of business was carried by a vote of 56 to 52.

Representtive Kinney rose to a question of privilege. He presented the matter of an offer having been made by Hanna managers to bribe Representative Otis. He moved that a committee of five be appointed to investigate these and other charges of bribery affecting members of the house. This motion was also defeated by the same vote of 56 to 52.

Representative Leland nominated Hanna and referred to treachery in the party. This brought out Bramely in vigorous terms, who presented the name of McKisson. There were hisses and cries of "traitor!" when Jones, of Stark, seconded the nomination of McKisson. He applauded McKinley, but denounced Hanna. The Democrats were silent.

One ballot was taken and the result showed Hanna 56 and McKisson 49. Wiley, Warner and Lentz each received one vote.

In the senate every member was present when the voting began. Senator Sullivan nominated Hanna. The vote stood: Hanna 17 and McKisson 19.

The name of Jeptha Garrard was not presented at his request.

Droste, Kemper, Lane, Manuel and Joyce, who have ben claimed as anti-Hanna men, voted for Hanna.

The ballot was first taken for short term. Another ballot was then taken for long term. The vote remained the same.

At 12:15 the house adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow. A joint ballot will be taken at noon tomorrow, when it is expected that Marcus A. will be elected senator, without doubt.

ON TIPTOE.

Columbus, O., Jan. 11.—There was a free rush for all the galleries as soon as the doors opened today, so eager was the desire to witness the first ballot for United States senator, although it is decided the balloting should not begin till afternoon. Crowds unable to obtain admission kept up demonstrations that had continued all night. Expectation on tiptoe as to the promised dramatic performance of Otis, of Hamilton county, who was expected to place bribe money on his desk and demand an investigation. Hanna's men hame anticipated this and express no fear of its effect.

M'KISSON AGREED ON.

Columbus, Jan. 11.—After an all night session the Democratic caucus, called to consider the senatorial question, agreed upon Mayor McKisson, of Cleveland, as the only Republican they would support for senator. Both Governor Bushnell and Kurtz were given up as impracticable.

Mayor McKisson was called before the caucus and publicly made the following declaration: "I am, and must be a Republican, but I assure you and pledge you that if elected to the United States senate by this fusion I will stand on the Chicago platform." This declaration in favor of free silver was greeted by great applause. The pledge was satisfactory to the caucus and he was chosen as the caucus nominee for both the long and short terms. McKisson has been working hand in hand with Kurtz for the overthrow of Hanna.

M'KISSON DENIES IT.

Columbus, Jan. 11.—Mayor McKisson denies pledging himself last night to free silver or to stand on the Chicago platform. Democrats present confirm this and say he declared he would not stand for free silver. Complaints are made against Kurtz for sacrificing McKisson. It is said a straight Democrat may be voted for tomorrow, when Hanna will get the whole Republican vote.

Judge Loomis, of Marietta Dead.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Marietta, O., Jan. 11. — W. B. Loomis, formerly judge of common pleas court, was fond dead in his law office this morning. He had remained in the office all night. It is not known when or how he died. He was the father of Frank Loomis, minister to Venezuela, and F. Kent Loomis, of the Parkersburg State Journal.

5,000 Gallons of Whisky Burned.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Glasgow, Ky., Jan. 11.—Allvin Piles' bonded warehouse at Mt. Vermon, containing five thousand gallons of whisky, was burned this morning. Covered by insurance.

Oil Company Assigns.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Wheeling, W. Va., Jan. 11.—The North Pennsylvania Oil company, operating in Moundsville district, assigned today to S. G. Smith. Assets, $50,000; liabilities unknown.

Steamboat Company Assigns.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

St. Louis, Jan. 11.—The Anchor line, running steamboats between St. Louis and Southern points, assigned today. Assets, $98,00; liabiliities not given.

Markets.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 11.—Wheat, 91¼; corn, 26¾; oats, 22.

Toledo.—Wheat, 91¼.

Weekly Bank Statement.

Berlin, Jan. 11.—The weekly bank statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany shows the following changes as compared with the previous account: Cash in hand increased 21,900,000 marks; treasury notes increased 840,000 marks; other securities decreased 96,260,000 marks; notes in circulation decreased 86,900,000 marks.

Charged With Swindling.

New York, Jan. 11.—W. F. Goerdes, a member of the Consolidated Stock and Petroleum Exchange of this city, is in jail charged with an attempt to swindle the firm of William Hawley & Company, members of the Stock Exchange, out of $18,000.

Knows Nothing About It.

New York, Jan. 11.—George Coppell, chairman of the Wisconsin Central reorganization committee, referring to the incorporation at Milwaukee of the new Wisconsin Central Railroad company, said he knew nothing about it.

They Are Not Satisfied.

South Bend, Ind., Jan. 11.—Mr. and Mrs. William Jewell, prominent residents of this county, have brought suit to set aside the disposition of $25,000 worth of property, made by Mrs. Jewell's father, Jacob M. Gaylor.

The Jury Disagreed.

Newport, Ind., Jan. 11.—The trial of George Adams, saloon keeper of Cayuga, for killing Paul Moran, the encounter occurring in July last, resulted in a disagreement of the jury. Adams pleaded self-defense.

Threatened With Bomb Outrages.

Constantinople, Jan. 11.—The Russian embassy here has been threatened with bomb outrages "if Russia does not withdraw her opposition to the amelioration of the condition of the Armenians."

Guarded by Police.

Prague, Jan. 11.—The Bohemian diet reassembled. Police guarded the approaches to the house. At the close of the chief provincial marshal's address the members heartily cheered the emperor.

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REPEATED SCENES

Of Hisses Witnessed at the Massmeeting.

IT WAS PURELY A HANNA CROWD.

The Speakers Used Such Terms as "Traitors," "Judas" and the Like In Referring to the Republican Opposition to the Return of Hanna to the United States Senate.

Columbus, O Jan. 11.—For three hours—from 3 to 6 p. m.—the Republican massmeeting at the Auditorium lasted with unbroken enthusiasm and intense indignation throughout.

There were repeated scenes of hissing when the names of Governor Bushnell, Mr. Kurtz and others were mentioned. The terms "traitors," "Judas" and the like were frequently used in responses from the audience.

Several of the speakers referred to Senator Foraker in connection with the revolution in the party. The audience was in close and deep sympathy with the intense and bitter utterances of most of the speakers.

The Columbus Glee club, which refused to participate in the inaugural ceremonies, contributed largely to the enthusiasm of the occasion by its singing.

As Chairman Nash and Congressman Weaver came upon the platform the Tippecanoe club of Cleveland and the Business Men's league of that city entered the hall, and there was a wild scene for some minutes.

Congressman Walter L. Weaver of Springfield, O., the home of Governor Bushnell, was chairman of the meeting. He made a most vigorous speech against those whom he accused with schemes for the disruption of the party.

Colonel Robert M. Nevin of Dayton, who has always been the close personal and political friend of Senator Foraker, Mr. Kurtz and others who are at this time opposing the election of Senator Hanna, made a speech against the action of those whom he charged with demoralizing and debauching the party.

Wild Demonstration.

This caused the greatest demonstration of the afternoon. Almost the entire audience rose to their feet, and while standing on chairs threw their hats, handkerchiefs and other articles wildly about the hall.

At the conclusion of this remarkable address the following resolutions were unanimously adopted by a rising vote and the most enthusiastic demonstrations of approval:

Resolved, first, That we condemn, without reserve or qualification, this most unholy conspiracy, and protest in the name of the people of the state of Ohio against its further progress and further success.

Resolved, further, That we call upon every Republican member of the general assembly to be present in his seat on next Tuesday and by voice, by act and by vote to carry into execution the fulfillment of the obligation assumed by him when elected as such member; and,

Resolved, finally, That we will welcome most cordially to full co-operation with us the Republican members of said general assembly, however they may have voted or acted thus far in relation to the subject-matter of this declaration.

These were preceded by a lengthy preamble in which an appeal was made to Governor Bushnell and (indirectly) Senator Foraker to come to the rescue.

Congressman Burton of Cleveland made one of the most vigorous speeches of the afternoon and presented a mammoth petition with over 10,000 signatures from the home of Senator Hanna in favor of his election.

After the meeting Senator Hanna was serenaded at the Nell and responded in several speeches. Senator Hanna did not attend the mass convention nor the inauguration exercises earlier in the day. He was busily engaged in conferences with his co-workers.

The senator was compelled to make many speeches during the day and evening, and in all the responses he expressed the fullest confidence in the final outcome of the pending contest.

Can Bob Resist This?

St. Louis, Jan. 11.—James J. Corbett announced from the stage during the second act of his play that he would offer Fitzsimmons $35,000 to fight him.

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POSSIBILITIES OF PORTSMOUTH.

Perhaps you may remember the story of the boy beginning the study of geography, who thought it almost Providential that the great rivers should so often flow by the large cities.

In considering the future possibilities of Portsmouth we must first glance at our present advantages. No doubt when the first projectors of the town at the junction of the Ohio and Scioto rivers thought of the advantages of the situation, their earliest visions were of the two broad river highways, one bounding the state of Ohio, the other circling through the middle of it.

They were not then sufficiently acquainted with the varying disposition of the Scioto river, for, perhaps, on a summer day they began the construction of a visionary city below the mouth of the Scioto, on the broad Scioto valley. They gave it a visionary name, Alexandria, after the grand old Egyptian city.

No doubt with their mind's eye they saw broad, regular streets, with beautiful homes, with plenty of ground about them, where trees and flowers and even fruitful gardens might flourish, but our Scioto only resembles the old Alexandrian Nile, in that it overflows its banks and enriches the territory. So the first time the Scioto was in an emotional mood they were hurriedly driven from their visionary city to higher ground, higher but narrower, nearer to the hills which encircle it.

Descending hurriedly to practical matters, remembering the occasions of their hegira, hoping they were beyond the powerful mouth of the Scioto, they changed the visionary name to Portsmouth. They sunk their ambition to narrower streets and smaller yards, made little provisions for future drainage, thinking, perhaps, the natural decline to the Ohio river would be sufficient.

Now, after our hurried beginning, after our narrow streets have been built, after our houses have been crowded together, after our drainage has been neglected, what are the future possibilities of Portsmouth?

Can we even yet appeal, not in vain, to the national government to check the majestic—ay, despotic flow of the Ohio river by means of locks and reservoirs above us, by forest culture, so she may not be so like an anarchist in early spring and like a sullen hermit in the sultry summer? We have been made to experience the capabilities of the Scioto. Can we even yet, by means of dredging and dykes and willow trees persuade her to moderate her beneficent overflow at set times and seasons? We can yet build expensive sewerage which will not only convey away below the city ordinary waste, but will somewhat check the destructive energies of the river floods. It begins to look improbable, but it is not yet impossible that by the aid of Uncle Sam our sluggish, comparatively useless canal may be changed to a ship canal from the lakes, making Portsmouth a port entry from foreign lands. If I were in the legislature I would use my utmost energy in that direction. We can, as a city, study location and engineering till we fix on a place for a water works reservoir, so that we may consume less mud and our plumbing may be less enormously expensive and provoking. We cannot make our streets or alleys wider, but we can keep them cleaner, and we can pave some of them with less noisy material than paving brick. How would it do to pave Fourth and Eighth streets, residence streets, with Asphalt or Nickelson? We cannot now enlarge the area of our city lots, but we can continue more rapidly to take away fences, relics, not of barbarism, but of the pioneer period, when cattle and Indians and unfriendly people were walled out. Our new roadways should not be called streets, but avenues, and named not for streets which they do not often directly connect, but named for our own distinguished citizens, or for property owners through whose ground they run, often donated ground. It is confusing to have these East and West Eighth streets, and then an East End Eighth street. These avenues, as they stretch out into the country can even yet be widened, and thousands and thousands of trees planted. If we can elect commissioners who understand what a road should be, we can even yet give these new avenues and our old turnpikes, the river road, or Buena Vista turnpike, the Chillicothe turnpike, the Gallia pike, some foundation and approach the form of an arch like the old Roman roads which have endured through the ages. At least the innumerable piles of limestone or gravel, more often sand, can be placed in the middle of the roadway, thus approaching to a limited extent an arch. Then I have read, and believe the secret of the beautiful Paris streets and roads is incessant repair, not spasmodic, (a patch in time saves nine), and instead of paying the Cincinnati workhouse for taking care of our criminals, I wish they might be made to work on our roads, healthy labor in the open air, and still in some respects discouraging to crime, and an evident object lesson to passing children. I wish we could have many little parks in the closely built city—breathing places, they call them where they have them—but those health-giving spots must be thought of in the early history of a city, and our foresight is seldom equal to our hind sight, but there is much that we can do at York Place, and I wish we could have a delightful Gaylord park further up the river, perhaps, with our reservoir in it. Two families have thought of parks for the city, the owners of Tracy park and the possessors of Peebles park, which may yet be surrounded by the city. Eden park, Cincinnati, was once offered as a gift to the city if it would properly care for it, but it was not accepted till that city had to pay the heirs millions of dollars for it. When I came to Portsmouth from Cincinnati, considering it a small river town, I supposed of course I should live where I could see the river, and it is still a dream of mine that Front street shall become fashionable. But in my dream the jail works are moved to the car shops, or further up the river—New Boston say, and all the old houses are replaced by majestic buildings, four, five or six stories high, containing numerous well-equipped flats. The buildings must each have towers, looking over over the Kentucky hills, and verandas to every story, where our beautiful river view may be enjoyed. On the Kentucky hills and beyond must be our great park of the future, reached by an incline railway. When I think of what is going to be, I wish I was younger, for it will be somewhat on the plan of the Glen Home, a resort for children and their parents, large enough to get out of sight of each other and with plenty of wholesome refreshments provided.

Natural gas, I hope we shall soon have piped through the alleys instead of the streets, so that if the supply should give out we may have our old pipes for manufactured gas to fall back to, and we shall not have torn up streets; electric lighting, like we used to have when the city owned the plant, only far more extensive. Many electric street car routes I hope we may have, our next one, perhaps, starting on lower Market square near the many flats on Front street, up Market to Fourth, out Fourth to Broadway in the East End, out Broadway to Cole's boulevard, out Cole's boulevard to Chillicothe pike, out Chillicothe pike to Lucasville and back on the West Side to Market street again, with transfer tickets over the different routes. Ah, then we could have our beautiful suburban homes, for our present Ninth street route shall have continued to Wheelersburg. The country about Portsmouth has far better natural advantages than the country about Cincinnati. The hills are not so abrupt, the views are finer, but as yet Cincinnati suburbs are considered the finest in the world. Ah, then we shall have plenty of room, easily accessible for our industrial, commercial, classical university for boys; our finishing college for girls, where music, drawing, painting, sewing and cooking, physical culture, kindergarten work, elocution, delsarte exercises and dancing shall be taught by competent teachers. Down in the city the school houses we have now will still be sufficient, for the public school system may extend only to the intermediate schools, the higher education being completed at these accessible universities on very low terms. And why will the terms be so low? Let us see. Our manufacturing plants by that time shall have extended along the river front to New Boston and farther; our merchants' storehouses shall extend out Chillicothe to Ninth, to New Boston and Gallia pike and farther; our fine new court house shall have been built; our grand Woman's club house shall be flourishing; our grand union railroad depot shall stand at the corner of North Waller and Tenth streets. We shall not suffer for food or raiment for our wonderful Scioto valley will be here, and on the railroads and rivers and ship canal the productions of the world will be brought to us. But we must go back. I have not answered the question. Why will the terms at our universities be so low? Because, beginning now, promoted by the Woman's club, as far as in us lies, and I hope by all good men, public spirit shall be so encouraged and stimulated that as soon as our fortunate manufacturers and merchants and professional men and women shall have acquired more than a competence, they shall lose caste and respect if they do not endow some worthy object. That will be the reason why the universities, the churches, the Public Library, the Peebles Reading Room, the Old Ladies' Home, the Children's Home and many other worthy objects will be so flourishing—they will all be endowed—why fountains and gardens and beautiful works of art and utility shall exist on every side. Energy and public spirit, let us hope, will be increased and stimulated, for there is another side to this question, What are the future possibilities of Portsmouth?

My friends, have you heard of the town of No-good,
On the banks of the river Slow?
Where blooms the wait-a-while flower fair,
Where the some-time-or-other scents the air,
And the soft go-easys grow.
It lies in the valley of What's-the-use,
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Luther's Bones.

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Petit Larceny Not Woman's Sin Alone.

The story comes from England of a novel being found in the sitting room of a firm of publishers written entirely upon the note paper of a London club. The thing is significant for two reasons: First, because the novelist was a man, and, second, because petty larceny has long been supposed to be the prerogative of woman. It is a fact that, in this country at least, it is women who pilfer the detachable privileges to be found in railway stations, the waiting room of department stores, hotels and like places. It has been found necessary to chain Bibles themselves. It isn't so very long ago that when a woman arose to read her bulky extemporaneous address at the meeting of a certain woman's club, her listeners, upon the back of each sheet of manuscript, could descry the sign and seal of a well known hotel. This wasn't so bad, of course, as a whole book, but it was bad enough.—

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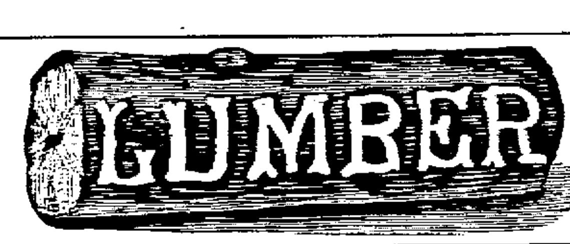

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ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren St., New York

Notice to Stockholders.

The regular annual meeting of The Portsmouth Gas and Electric Company for the election of Directors to serve during the ensuing year will be held at their office on West Second street on the third Monday in January, 1898, (January 17) between the hours of one (1) and three (3) p. m.

17-td W. C. SILCOX, Secretary.

Stockholders' Meeting.

THE regular annual meeting of The Times Publishing company for the election of Directors to serve during the ensuing year will be held at the office of the company, corner of Chillicothe and Front streets, Tuesday February 22, 1898.

J. H. COLLIER, Secy.

A HOT TIME

Did the Garfield Club Have in Columbus Yesterday.

Received at the Nell Parlors by Hon. Mark Hanna, Floyd McCormick and Others—The Blaine Club Boys Someway Got Lost in the Push.

The Portsmouth delegation to Columbus returned safely last night and the Hanna part of the crowd were in excellent spirits and seemed to think they had made a big hit. When the special train reached Columbus all the Hanna men on board lined up, about four hundred strong. Headed by the Garfield club and the McKinley Battery, the latter sixty-eight strong and looking neat and nobby in their uniforms. They marched up High street to the Neil House and there were received in the parlors by Mighty Marous Hanna himself. As each of the delegation passed through the parlor Hanna grasped his hand and they "shook." Representative McCormick and wife assisted the Hon. Mark to receive the Portsmouth and Ironton delegations, introducing some of them to Mark. Philo S. Clark, who usually shines on these occasions, was confined to his room by a sudden illness.

After the delegations had visited Mark they scattered about town, witnessed the inauguration, attended the mass meeting and—and—and—they came home, most of them, on the excursion train last night.

The Blaine club someway got lost in the push and, according to the Columbus Dispatch, did not cut much ice. The Dispatch says there were only nineteen men of the Foraker Phalanx of the Blaine club on hands, and they were pushed out on the sidewalk and even failed to show up in the inaugural parade.

LARGELY ATTENDED

Was the Meeting of the Choir Fund Society of All Saints Church Yesterday.

One of the largest meetings ever enjoyed by the Choir Fund society of All Saints church was that of yesterday afternoon, and it was also an unusually pleasant meeting. It was held at the home of Mrs. Dudley B. Hutchins, the hostesses being Mrs. Hutchins, Mrs. A. L. Sanford, Mrs. Oscar W. Newman and Mrs. Nannie Kinney. In all, with members and guests, there were fifty-four ladies present.

All were made to forget the gloominess of the day by the brilliant gaslight and glow of many candles which added a cheerfulness to the bright and attractive parlors.

Besides the usual pleasant social intercourse and the light refreshments—which at yesterday's meeting were delicious sandwiches, coffee and pickles—there was quite a pleasant surprise in the way of a graphaphone entertainment. The hostesses had the use of one of these instruments for an hour or more, its comic selections affording as much amusement as its very pretty musical numbers gave pleasure. It was indeed a very happy innovation.

In Memoriam.

Whereas, The Supreme Ruler of the Universe, in His inscrutable wisdom has seen fit to remove from our midst our brother, Patrick F. Doyle, therefore be it

Resolved: That we, the members of Christopher Columbus Council No. 454, Young Men's Institute, do deeply deplore the death of our brother, as he was a man of sterling integrity, a kind and pleasant companion, having at all times the best interest of his friends at heart and he was worthily respected by the community, as he was always upright and conscientious in all his dealings, so therefore be it

Resolved: That we tender to the bereaved family of our departed brother our heartfelt condolence in this, their sad bereavement, and that we shall cherish as sacred the memory of our late brother, and also

Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family and made a part of the records of this council and printed in each of the daily papers of this city, and also that our charter be draped in mourning for thirty days. Respectfully,

JNO. H. LANGE,
FRANK KLEFFNER,
JAMES J. BARRY,
Committee.

A Coming Reception.

On the afternoon preceding her card party, which has been announced for Thursday, January 20, Mrs. Wells A. Hutchins will entertain with a reception the guests invited "to meet Mrs. Raymond D. York."

With the Sample.

W W. Watkins, who was with Lehmans for a long time as salesman and cobbler, is now with the Sample Shoe company. Mr. Watkins is one of the best shoe doctors in the city and is not slow as a salesman.

Scratch, scratch, scratch; unable to attend to business during the day or sleep during the night. Itching piles—horrible plaque. Doan's Ointment cures. Never fails. At any drug store, 50 cents.

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury, as well as the adult. All who try it like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without ditsress. One-fourth the price of coffee. 15 and 25 cents per package. Sold by all grocers.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

The Van Dyke & Eaton Repertoire company opened for the week last night at the Grand Opera house playing to a crowded house. The play presented, "Wanted, a Wife," was bright and well put on and kept up the interest of the audience throughout the evening. The specialties were particularly good and the company taken as a whole first class. Tonight "Family Affairs" will be presented. Prices 10, 20 and 30 cents. Ladies' accompanied by one paid ticket will be admitted free again tonight.

Prices 10, 20, 30 cents, at the Opera house tonight Ladies with paid tickets will be admitted free.

THE DIFFERENCE.

An Ironton Society Lady Sighs Because They have no Grand Assembly Balls Etc Like Portsmouth.

"I noticed in the Portsmouth papers" said an Ironton lady, "that they had a grand ball there and that hundreds of people attended and had a fine time. It took about four columns in the papers to describe the costumes and the delightful time they had. Ironton never had anything of the kind in its history. There is really no society here. The people are all divided up into little cliques, and it would be impossible to have any social event here of any consequence. There are a dozen or two families here who regard themselves as a kind of a 'none-such society.' They hold themselves aloof from other people, strut around and throw bouquets at each other, and are sure to get their names in the alleged 'sassaety' columns in the local papers, their most trivial acts being written up in gowing terms, until they fondly imagine that they are great society people. Then there are thirty or forty families who are comfortably fixed and could have a good time if they wanted to, but who prefer to keep away from the alleged swell people and smile at the supposed style affected by the none-suchers. Then there are other 'sets,' but what is the use to enumerate more," and she stamped her pretty foot, saying, "there are some awfully hateful people here who would like to put on style if they only had the ability and money to do it.—Irontonian.

LETTERS UNCALLED FOR.

The following is the list of letters remaining in the Portsmouth, O., postoffice, Jan. 11, 1898, which, if not called for within 15 days, will be sent to the dead letter office at Washington, D. C.:

Mr. Walter Aams, Dave Akerson, Miss Emma Bulman, M. Brewer (2), Mr. Harry Bell, Mr. Willis Craig, Mr. Leonard Cook, Mrs. Louie Cook, Lillian Davis, J. H. Davis, C. H. Davidson, Mrs. Mary Gland, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnson, L. L. Johnson, Kid McCullough, Mrs. Geo. McKim, Edward Mortimer, Miss Melissa White, Mrs. Emma Wilson.

JOHN JONES, P. M.

An Immense Audience.

At an early hour last night the large auditorium of the Christian church was filled to hear their evangelists. The crowds that are turning out to hear them from the very start are certainly very complimentary to these men. Not a sitting was left, so the large force of ushers filled the lower floor with camp chairs, which were soon taken. Mr. Easton has the chorus choir under training and will have them render some beautiful selections soon. Last night he sang the solo, "Cross and Crown," after which Rev. Updike delighted the audience for an hour by his forcible instructions, filled with humor and pathos. He had a homely subject, "Hearing," but he showed it to be one of great importance and showed how bearing the truth of God would save any honest man from infidelity.

A Neat Piece of Work.

There is on exhibition in the show window of Reilly's book store a very neat copy of one Charles Dana Gibson's drawings, "The Night Before the Wedding." The copy is the work of Miss Georgia Crawford. Miss Crawford made a number of copies for Christmas rememberances for her friends and they were commented on so favorably that Miss Reilly secured one for display.

Had a Good Time.

Company H returned last night at eleven o'clock on the special from Columbus. All got back safe and sound and tired. They were fed in the Fourteenth Regiment armory, where they were given good meals. They took part in the inaugural parade at one o'clock and the rest of the afternoon enjoyed themselves in looking over the city. All the members were pleased with their treatment while in the Capital city.

Held Up.

Forest Briggs was held up Monday morning while coming to town. Briggs lives on the Chillicothe pike and was coming in early to go to Columbus with Co. H. He was stopped near the N. & W. depot by a hobo and asked for his valuables. He jerked loose and escaped by running.

Whist Club Entertained.

The young folks whist club was delightfully entertained last evening by Miss Julia Hall at her plesant home on East Second street. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

Those needing shoes should see Lehman's line before purchasing.

Knights of St. George Banquet.

The Knights of St George will have a banquet at St. Mary's hall this evening. A big time is expected.

The little folks love Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Pleasant to take; perfectly harmless; positive cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma.

ESSENCE OF NEWS.

Items of Interest Prepared Especially For Busy Readers.

Senator Chandler says President McKinley favors bimetallism.

Seth D. Tripp, 72, inventor of the shoe pegging machine, is dead in Lynn, Mass.

A woman with a hatpin attacked two train robbers in Chicago and prevented the robbery.

Arthur Prince, who assassinated Actor William Terriss in London, was indicted for murder.

Wire tappers who caused the Roby bookmakers to lose $2,000 have been caught in Chicago.

Francis D. Newton, his wife and adopted daughter were murdered by their hired man near Worcester, Mass.

Mrs. Augusta Nack was sentenced to 15 years' imprisonment in New York for assisting Martin Thorn to murder William Guldensuppe.

Judge Carpenter of Minneapolis holds that a child can not be legally adopted without the consent of both parents, if they be living.

Second Attempt Successful.

Lima, O., Jan. 11.—Alfred A. Creps, a young attorney, suicided by shooting. This was his second attempt.

Child Burned to Death.

Gilmore, O., Jan. 11. — The 17-months-old son of Mrs. Martha Morrison was burned to death.

Oldest Attorney Dead.

Akron, O., Jan. 11.—Aaron Pardee, 89, the oldest attorney in active practice in the state, is dead.

Killed by a Crook.

Cincinnati, Jan. 11.—Detective Moran, who was shot by a crook named Herman Diehm, is dead.

Refused to Indict.

Toledo, Jan. 11.—The grand jury has refused to indict William Downey for killing Daniel Robb.

Emperor's Mother Dead.

Shanghai, Jan. 11.—Princess Tai Won Koon died on Saturday. She was the real mother of the emperor, his adopted mother having died three or four years ago. She was 78 years old. The emperor will go into mourning for 27 days.

Increased Its Earnings.

Montreal, Jan. 11. — Canadian Pacific railway earnings for the week ending Jan. 7 were $401,000; for the same period last year, $302,000; increase, $99,000.

Negro Murderer Electrocuted.

Sing Sing, Jan. 11.—Hadley A. Sutherland, negro murderer, was electrocuted.

Cuban Contributions.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Cuban contributions received at the state department Monday aggregated $1,185, of which $1,150 came from Cleveland, where it had been collected by H. A. Garfield.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, Jan. 11.—The statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $241,318,888; gold reserve, $161,406,106.

Jail Delivery Attempted.

Knox, Ind., Jan. 11.—Outside parties tried to free from jail William Messenger, who has been sentenced to the penitentiary for life for murdering Charles Nelson at San Pierre, but the attempt was frustrated.

A PLAGUE OF THE NIGHT

ITCHING PILES AND OTHER RECTAL TROUBLES EASILY CURED BY A NEW AND SAFE METHOD.

A Remarkable Number of Cures Made by the Pyramid Pile Cure.

About one person in every four suffers from some form of rectal disease. The most common and annoying is itching piles, indicated by warmth, slight moisture and intense uncontrollable itching in the parts affected.

The usual treatment has been some simple ointment or salve which sometimes gives temporary relief, but nothing like a permanent cure can be expected from suce superficial treatment.

The only permanent cure for itching piles yet discovered is the Pyramid Pile Cure, not only for itching piles, but for every other form of piles, blind, bleeding or protruding. The first application gives instant relief and continued use for a short time causes a permanent removal of the tumors or the small parasites which cause the intense itching and discomfort of itching piles.

Many physicians for a long time supposed that the remarkable relief afforded by the Pyramid Pile Cure was because it was supposed to contain cocaine, opium or similar drugs, but such is not the case. A recent careful analysis of the remedy showed it to be absolutely free from any cocaine, opium, or in fact any poisonous, injurious drugs whatever.

For this reason the Pryamid Pile Cure is probably the only pile cure extensively recommended by physicians, because it is so safe, so prompt in the relief afforded and so far as known the only positive cure for piles, except a surgical operation.

In one year the Pyramid Pile Cure has become the best known, the safest and the most extensively sold of any pile cure before the public.

Nearly all druggists now sell it at 50 cents and $1 per package.

Address the Pyramid Co., Marshall, Mich., for book on cause and cure of piles and also hundreds of testimonials from all parts of the United States.

If suffering from any form of piles ask your druggist for a package of Pyramid Pile Cure and try it tonight.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents.

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In This Space.

Calicoes.

Best light Calico at 3½c.
Best Mourning Calico at 4c.
Best Silver Grey Calico at 4c.
Best Indigo Blue Calico at 4c.
Best Turkey Red Calico at 4c.
Good dark Calico at 3½c.

Muslins.

4c Muslins, yard wide at 3½c.
5c Muslins, yard wide at 4c.
6¼c Muslins, yard wide at 5c.
7c Muslins, yard wide at 6c.

Table Linens.

15c Table Linens at 12½c.
20c Table Linens at 17c.
25c Table Linens at 20c.
35c Table Linens at 30c.
50c Table Linens at 42c.
etc.

Crashes.

4c Cotton Crashes at 3c.
5c Linen Crashes at 4c.
6¼c Linen Crashes at 5c.
7c Linen Crashes at 6c.
8c Linen Crashes at 7c.
10c Linen Crashes at 8½c.

10c pillow case muslin at 8c.
12½c pillow case muslin at 10c.

15c Sheeting, 9-4, at 12½c.
18c Sheeting, 9-4, at 15c.
20c Sheeting, 10-4, at 17c.
22c Sheeting, 10-4, at 18c.

4c Canton Flannel at 3½c.
5c Canton Flannel at 4c.
6¼c Canton Flannel at 5c.
7c Canton Flannel at 6c.
8c Canton Flannel at 7c.
10c Canton Flannel at 9c.

NOTICE:

We will continue our closing out sale until February 1st. Goods are moving at a lively rate at the reductions we are offering.

L. & E. Yaeger,

507 Chillicothe Street.

Purcell & Bragdon

Mark Down Sale.

"Cash is King."

All Underwear, Blankets, Comforts and Winter Goods of every description must be sold regardless of cost. We are determined to carry over nothing. We want the cash and need the room for our spring goods, and if prices talk we will soon clean them up. Also include in this sale Canton Flannels, Domets, Storm Flannels, Outings, Flannelettes, All Wool Flannels, Cotton Batts, Prints and Muslins and Skirts.

Come early while assortment is complete, for at these prices stock will soon be cut down.

See our 3c Towels, full size.

See our 29c Unlaundered Shirts, worth 50c.

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A CARTRIDGE

Exploded in a Colored Boy's Hands Saturday.

He Is Arthur Gardner, and His Home is on Thirteenth Street in This City—Has Not Been Able to See Since the Accident Happened.

Arthur Gardner, a colored boy, whose home is on Thirteenth street, in this city, met with a serious accident last Saturday morning.

Young Gardner has been working for George Davis, at the Davis farm, north of the city. Saturday afternoon Gardner was fooling with a cartridge, holding it in his hands and picking the end of it with a pin. Suddenly the cartridge exploded, the bullet tearing young Gardner's hand. At the time he was holding the cartridge close to his face. The powder flashing up when the cartridge exploded, struck him full in the face and blinded him. The boy was brought to the home of his mother, on Thirteenth street, in this city, yesterday. He has not been able to see since the accident, but the attending physician thinks his eyesight can be saved.

FRAGMENTS.

Miss Anna M. Evans is quite sick at her room on East Second street.

Doc Duduit, book-keeper at J. H. Hibbs & Co.'s, is confined to his home with mumps.

Samuel Horchow has moved his store one block south of his previous quarters on Chillicothe street.

Dick Lorey has purchased a half-dozen rubber tire buggies and added to his livery equipment.

Geo. Fresball celebrated his forty-sixth birthday anniversary Monday. Few of George's friends would take him to be over forty.

A package of skins came by express today for S. Labold & Co., from Durham, N. C. This firm does an extensive business, buying from all parts of the country.

Elected Officers.

The Portsmouth Fire Brick company elected the following officers this morning: A. T. Johnson, president; C. E. Bowen, of Logan, O., vice-president; S. P. Adams, secretary. A. T. Johnson, C. E. Bowen, Sam P. Adams, Thomas Powell, of Sciotoville, and T. W. Rochester, of Logan, directors.

Postponed.

The stockholders' meeting of the Scioto Fire Brick company was held yesterday, but the gentlemen adjourned until Monday, when officers will be elected.

A RUB DOWN.

Hard for a Lazy Man But Pays for the Trouble.

One has often read or heard of the good effect of a quick sponge bath and rub down in the morning, but until it has really been put in practice for a fortnight the value is not appreciated.

Moderately cold water should be applied to arms first and these briskly rubbed with a towel and the open hand until smooth, dry and warm.

Then treat the stomach, back, legs and feet separately, in the same way.

One is inclined to feel a hearty, boyish desire for breakfast and if the healthy life of body thus begun is desirable to maintain, the person could, with profit, avoid coffee at breakfast and use Postum Food Coffee and some whole wheat or oat preparations.

If chemical research is of any sort of value in making clear the food value of various articles it has never done a greater service to mankind than in the analysis of coffee and Postum.

The first shows no food value whatever, but is shown to contain the same alkaloids as tobacco, opium, whiskey, and to have a similar effect upon the human body as this famous trio have; altimately producing in many cases heart failure, paralysis, stomach and liver disease and other serious complications arising from a daily poisoning of the nervous system.

True everyone must be allowed the liberty of taking into his or her individual body whatever is desired, but it is a source of satisfaction to the thoughtful man and woman to know just what the real facts are about any article put into the human stomach and upon which one may depend for health.

Coffee may be used by some persons for years and exert no particular power over a strong constitution, but if one will carefully investigate the daily life of say twenty-five coffee drinkers, scarcely one will be found entirely free from some physical ache or all directly traceable to a disarranged nervous system.

People who would rather have solid days and nights of health, and easy comfortable bodies to carry around than stick to a cup of coffee each morning, can find a pleasant way by adopting Postum Food Coffee and having it made according to the new directions which makes the way plain to a most delicious, crisp and charming coffee, heavy in nourishment and entirely free from any sort of narcotic effect like common coffee.

Mr. Curtis, the president of the famous Ladies' Home Journal Co., says he likes Postum better than coffee. Many do, but probably a larger number consider the flavor of Postum second to that of choice coffee. But Postum is delicious and when its poweful nourishing properties are considered in conjunction with the piquant flavor, it takes its place as a fixture on the table of thoughtful people.

PERSONAL.

John A. Wilhelm is in Columbus on business.

Mr. J. M. Lopinsky has returned from a trip to West Virginia.

Capt. Sam Brown, of Newport, was in the city today on business.

Corts Heer returned yesterday from a brief business trip to Cincinnati.

Mr. Henry Atlas, of the Parisian Cloak company, has gone East to buy goods.

Messrs. W. H. Hurt and Chas. Hall went to Cincinnati today to meet Eastern drummers.

Miss Anna Ruth, who has been wrestling with a severe case of the mumps, is out again.

Henry Bassler returned to Manchester this morning to resume work for the Manchester Cabinet works.

Miss Laura Neekamp came down from Ironton today to visit her aunt, Mrs. E. R. Leiger, of Sixth street, and to attend the Reitz-Legler wedding.

J. L. Gorman, editor of the Irontonian, of Ironton, passed through the city today en route for Columbus to be present at the little unpleasantness now "on" in that city.

Mr. W. P. Reed, who went to Columbus yesterday to the inauguration, went on to Delaware to spend the remainder of the week the guest of his sister, Mrs. Dr. E. M. Semans.

KINDERGARTEN MEETING.

As Predicted in The Times, Miss Gertrude Perkins Resigns—Her Successor Chosen and Will Be Here Feb. 1st.

The regular monthly meeting of the Kindergarten association was held at All Saints chapel last night, Dr. Tramper presiding. The financial reports and those from the school were read, showing an encouraging state of affairs. The committee on piano, appointed at last meeting, reported that a piano had been secured rent free until next June through the kindness of the Everett Piano company, of Cincinnatii.

After the completion of the regular business, which also included reports on the successful Christmas celebration at the Kindergarten and the monthly mothers' meeting, the resignation of Miss Perkins, to take effect February 1st, was laid before the association and accepted. The association then decided to accept the application presented by Miss Ruth Huntington, of Hamilton, Ohio, to carry on the work for the remainder of the year. Miss Huntington is highly recommended by the Cincinnati Kindergarten school, of which she is a graduate, and has had much experience in this work, having charge one year of the large kindergarten in the Cincinnati Orphan asylum. She will be able to take the work right up and carry it on as planned at the beginning of the year. Miss Huntington will come to Portsmouth the last week in January, when a special meeting of the association will be called.

Close Call.

Jacob Salver, a cigar maker at the Max cigar factory on Chillicothe street, was helping to move a case of tobacco today weighing about 450 pounds, when the case slipping fell about three feet. At the same time Salver fell, the case striking him on the head, causing a very painful injury. He was unconscious for some time, but is again at his work, although still suffering from the injury.

A Missionary Tea.

Mrs. Wm. Purcell, at her home on the corner of Seventh and Washington streets, will entertain the W. F. M. S. in a tea Thursday, January 13th. The business meeting will be called to order at 3 o'clock. Supper will be served at the usual hours, beginning with 5:30 o'clock. An entertaining program will be rendered during the evening. All are cordially invited to be present. Price of supper 25 cents.

Band of Coal Stealers.

There has been considerable complaint from coal dealers to the effect that certain persons living on Gay street have been stealing coal from the cars. Almost every morning some of these fellows can be seen with their little carts sneaking coal. That is, anybody can see them but the policeman in that ward. A stiff workhouse sentence would take the ambition out of the coal stealers.

Second Week of the Revival.

The second week of the revival services at the United Brethren church shows that the interest in the meetings has not abated. The church is crowded nightly and the deepest interest is taken in the meetings. The services this week are conducted by Presiding Elder A. A. Chapman, assisted by the pastor, Rev. Comer. Last night there were three accessions to the church.

Congregational Church.

Rev. George Gadsby, of Ceredo, will preach Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings at the Congregational church. Abundance of singing at each service. Annual meeting of the church this evening at 7 o'clock. Every member is urged to be present.

Woodmen of the World.

The members of the Woodmen of the World are requested to attend Wednesday evening, as important business including installation of officers, will come before the camp.

H. A. BROWN, C. C.

Lehman's special shoe sale is meeting with much favor. They are offering excellent values.

Storage, H. S. Grimes, 119 W. Front.

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1 3lb. Can Pumpkin	10c	5c
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15c Brocades, fast colors. Sale price 12½c.
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25c Plaids, new Spring colorings. Sale price 15c yd.
Black Dress Goods for about the cost of raw Material.
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58 in. Unbleached Table Linens worth 35c yd. Sale price 23c yd.

Seamless Sheeting, 9-4 regular 17c quality. Sale price 13c yd.
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Bed Spreads, large sizes, nice patterns worth 75c. Sale price 54c.

Extra Crochet Bed Spreads, select Patterns, regular $1.00 quality. Sale price 75c.

Big Reduction in Wool Blankets.
Men's Tan and black Hosiery at 5c pr.
Men's Suspenders regular 20c quality. Sale price 10c pr.

Unloading Sale of Men's, Ladies' and Children's Underwear. We find as the time for Stock Taking approaches we are overstocked. Unload we must, so down goes the prices.

Ladies' fleeced lined Vests regular 20c quality. Sale price 11c each.
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Ladies' heavy fleeced lined Vests and Drawers worth 35c each. Sale price 23c each.
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Men's All Fur Derby and Alpine Hats, latest styles, black or brown, $2.50 quality, $2.00.
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Country Correspondence.

Otway.

Miss May, the sixteen-year-old daughter of 'Squire John A. Davis, succumbed to the dread disease, diphtheria, Sunday morning, January 9th, at five o'clock. She had been sick but two weeks. Prior to her last sickness she was frequently pointed out as a most perfect specimen of physical womanhood. She was a member of the C. U. church and an active worker in the Sunday school. Her remains were interred Monday, at 9 a. m., at Garvin's cemetery beside her mother, who was buried there only six months ago.

Great excitement was caused Sunday over the rapidly rising waters of Brush creek and Bloody run. Trash clogged under the Main street bridge crossing Bloody run, the water's course being diverted into the street, and for a few hours Otway resembled an infant Venice.

The schools, after a five weeks' vacation on account of diphtheria, have again opened up with a greatly reduced attendance.

There is beginning to be heard some base ball talk in the village, although the blue birds are at least four months away. Truman Reynolds, Otway's star pitcher and second baseman aspires to managerial honors, and if he is successful in his calculations it is safe to say no base ball will be played in Otway in 1898 Mr. Reynolds is a shrewd diamond generally, as well as a very clever player, and will throw out his lines some of these days to get the management of the Portsmouth team. His aim will be to make up the personnel of his team as far as possible of young men of Scioto and adjoining counties, such as Brooker, Rader, Wamsley, Gillett, Walden, Tiechert, Dunham, Blackwell and other well known players. Harrington, who caught for Portsmouth last season, would likely be the chief back-stop. Then Doc Severs and other pitching talent of the county would be engaged if possible, and he believes the public would patronize such a team more cheerfully through frequent defeats than it would a team of strangers through constant victory.

Speaking about base ball brings to mind a base ball scribe that once furnished the public ball news through the columns of the Tribune that used to be. He was known by everyone in Ohio, from Billy Jackson to Harry Weldon as "Wing." His items were effusions, and chiefly remarkable for the information they did not give. The passing of the Tribune and the passing of "Wing" were simultaneous, but his stories of Chief Bingaloo and "Gilligans' appeal to the Umpire" will immortalize him in Fandom's memory. Requiescat, etc. ***

P. T. Doyle's Funeral.

The body of P. T. Doyle, whose death was mentioned in yesterday's paper, will be taken to Springfield tomorrow morning at 10:38, on the N. & N. Simple services will be held here and the body will be interred immediately after arriving in Springfield.

Banks Elect Officers.

The First National and Portsmouth National banks are electing officers this afternoon. There will be probably no changes in the present officers in either bank.

Edmond de Goncourt.

Edmond de Goncourt was the chief spokesman of his school. He was the first to set the fashion, or at least the first to proclaim it, of going about notebook in hand for professional purposes, and on nothing did he pride himself so much as on the paternity of the "human document." For any useful—nay, blessed—formula let him receive all credit, so long as the invention is understood to be of a phase, not of a thing. The limitation is necessary, in view of certain extravagant pretensions which would assign to the founders of realistic fiction an honor and glory similar to that which, in physical science, belongs to the author of the "Novum Organum." In both cases, we are told, there was a change of method in both the importance of particulars was emphasized. Unfortunately the comparison can hardly be extended to the subject matter and the results. Nature was unknown when Bacon prescribed rules for the discovery of her secrets. Human nature, the motives and conduct of men, was as well known 2,000 years ago as it is today.

No documentary novelist has added to the sum of general knowledge or done more than dress up old truths in a few new garments borrowed from various sciences. The innovation of realism, or naturalism, was at most, then, one of method applied to a given body of already known phenomena, just as the same facts may be treated by induction or deduction in turns. And even as an innovation of method it has been much exaggerated on the fatuous presumption, often made by De Goncourt and others, that no novelist before Balzac had ever studied the details of life—a presumption resting apparently on no other basis than the fact that our old friends, taking such study for granted, did not deem it necessary to be constantly talking about it.—Macmillan's Magazine.

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Lady Pendulum.

From the New York Tribune comes a story, which Mr. Moody recently told, illustrative of the fact that to the power of single hearted perseverance there is no known limit:

When I was in London some years ago, I saw a lady in my audience who could not walk and had a chair on wheels in which she was brought into church. The look of disgust on her face and the attention she attracted in being brought into the meetings made me take notice of her. I spoke to her one day, and she said:

"Mr. Moody, when this excitement is over and you have gone back to America the people will go back to their old ways. They won't keep on. They can't do it."

I talked with her for some time, but she stuck to her point. A day or two afterward I told the fable of the clock: The pendulum counted how many times it would have to tick before it was worn out, and it was so appalled at the number that it wanted to give up right there, saying, "I never can do it."

"But," said one of the other parts of the clock, "it is only a tick at a time."

"That is just what some of you are doing," I said, "saying that after Mr. Moody goes back to America the excitement will die out. We will not keep it up. We can't get grace enough to do so.' Get grace enough to live a tick at a time, a step at a time," said I.

That woman went home and bought a clock with a pendulum and put it where she could see it. She preached so much about "a tick at a time" that her friends called her Lady Pendulum.

The day before returning to America I received a package from her. In it was a clock, and the letter with it said:

"Please put this clock in your room, and when you look at it remember that Lady Pendulum is still living a tick at a time."

Glued Seams.

A correspondent who signs himself V. C., evidently meaning Victoria Cross, sends the following reminiscence to the London Telegraph: "Your account of the tailor who has invented gummed seams for sewed ones reminds me of the experience of a gallant French officer who was a friend of mine, then a young man, in the Crimea—General Pelissier. He was rather careless about his dress except when in uniform, and one day he surprised all his friends by appearing in a magnificent shepherd tartan suit. They were all envious of his splendid turnout. At night he joined in the conviviality which was taking place in one of the huts, warmed by a cheerful, blazing fire. The place got intolerably warm, and when Pelissier rose to go the company were amazed to find the shepherd tartan 'complet' fall to pieces in an extraordinary manner. The sleeves of the coat dropped to the floor, then the back, and the trousers also fell off in detachments. An examination showed that the seams, instead of being sewed, were glued together, and the heat of the hut had completely melted the composition. Pelissier had bought them from a Greek peddler and paid a high price for them. If that enterprising merchant had fallen into the general's hands within the next few days, I am afraid he would have had short shrift. Unless the new system is capable of better things than that most of us will be quite content to stick to the stitches."

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Quotations For Jan. 10.

NEW YORK.

Beef—Family, $10 00@11 50; extra mess, $8 00@8 50; packed, $8 50@9 50. Cut meats—Pickled bellies, 5@6c; pickled shoulders, 5@5¼c; pickled hams, 7c. Lard—Western steam, $5 05. Pork—Old mess, $8 50@9 00.

Butter—Western dairy, 12@20c; creamery, 15@22c; do factory, 12@17c. Cheese—State, large, 8¼@9½c; small, 9@9½c; part skims, 4½@5c; full skims, 3@4c. Eggs—State and Pennsylvania, 21@24c; western fresh, 20@22c.

Wheat—$1 00½. Corn—34⅞c. Oats—28⅝c. Rye—55c.

PITTSBURG.

Cattle—Choice, $4 90@5 00; good, $4 70@4 80; tidy butchers', $4 40@4 65; fair, $4 20@4 25; common, $3 35@3 60; heifers, $ 400@4 50; bulls, stags and cows, $2 00@3 70; fresh cows, $20@50.

Hogs—Yorkers, $3 70@3 75; mediums, $3 75@3 80; fair, $3 50; grassers, $3 40@3 45; heavy, $3 65@3 70; rough, $2 50@3 25; pigs, $3 70@3 75.

Sheep—Choice, $4 65@4 75; good, $4 50@4 60; fair, $4 10@4 40; common, $3 50@4 10; lambs, $5 85@6 00.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—Beeves, $3 80@5 40; cows and heifers, $2 40@3 90; Texas steers, $3 25@4 30; westerns, $3 80@4 30; stockers and feeders, $3 25@4 30.

Hogs—Light, $3 35@3 65; mediums, $3 50@3 65; heavy, $3 40@3 67½; roughs, $3 40@3 45.

Sheep and Lambs—Choice sheep, $4 65@4 75; fair, $4 20@4 40; common, $3 00@4 10; exports, $3 00; choice lambs, $5 75@6 00.

Wheat—92c. Corn—26¾c. Oats—21¾c. Rye—45c.

BUFFALO.

Cattle—Butchers', $5 00@5 10; shipping, $4 60@4 75; best steers, $4 85@5 10; good cows and heifers, $3 50@4 00; stockers and feeders, $3 40@4 25.

Hogs—Yorkers, $3 72@3 75; roughs, common to good, $3 20@3 40; mediums and heavies, $3 70@3 75; pigs, $3 25@3 75.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, extra, $4 65@5 10; good prime, $5 40@5 60; common, $3 00@3 75; choice lambs, $5 80@5 90.

CLEVELAND.

Hogs—Yorkers and lights, $3 65; mediums and heavies, $3 65; stags and roughs, $2 50@2 90.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, $3 00@4 50; lambs, $4 50@6 10.

Cattle—Steers, $4 05@4 35; heifers, $4 00@4 25; cows and bulls, $3 00@3 25.

CINCINNATI.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 92¼c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 28½c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 24½c. Rye—46c.

Lard—$4 62½. Bulk meats—$4 50. Bacon—$5 50.

Hogs—$3 65. Cattle—$2 25@4 65. Sheep—$2 75@4 75.

BALTIMORE.

Wheat—91½c. Corn—27¾c. Oats—23½c. Rye—46c. Cloverseed—$3 20.

TOLEDO.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 22c. Eggs—Fresh, 19c.

ONE MORE WEEK ONLY

Our Great Remodeling Sale will continue. The extreme low prices on all goods have brought crowds of anxious buyers to our store. Don't fail to take advantage of these prices during this week. Sale continues till Saturday night.

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In the face of a rising market, and during what is usually the dullest season of the year, **WE ARE DETERMINED** to reduce our stock of

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We know that to accomplish this we must offer to the public extraordinary money saving inducements. **COST PRICE WILL BE IGNORED.** Profit by this announcement and respond early. Fancy **SILKS WILL BE INCLUDED.**

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At a time when prices on all Domestics are seemingly at the lowest notch, to step forth and announce that **ALL FORMER EFFORTS AND SPECIAL PRICES WILL BE OUTSTRIPPED,** appears unreasonable, but seeing is believing. Come and we'll prove it—muslins, ginghams, outing flannels, sheeting, Canton flannels, calicoes, shirtings, all included.

UNDERWEAR.

Read with confidence. The inducement is a saving of dollars and cents to every purchaser during this sale. When a complete stock of Underwear is offered at such prices as will rule during this sale it means

Rare Bargains.

ANY ODD LOTS must go regardless of the loss. Prices are fixed to move them quickly.

TO MAKE THIS THE GREATEST SALE EVER ANNOUNCED we shall sacrifice profits on

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Blankets and Comforts

CAN YOU RESIST helping to move this stock when we announce to you even the low prices on our Blankets and Comforts will be literally cut to pieces? Can you resist coming and investigating?

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Study the economy of buying Millinery at **HALF PRICE** during this sale. Think of it! A $5 Hat for $2.50.

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Umbrellas,
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Ribbons.

CLOAKS.

NOT A CLOAK to remain in this department. We know that nothing but a price that makes the inducement a plain case of extraordinary money saving will accomplish our object.

Our Reputation

For reliable qualities is sufficient to guarantee that you will find no rubbish in this stock.

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BOTH SIDES HAVE A STORY.

The Latest One Was Worked Up In Cincinnati.

IT IS EXTREMELY SENSATIONAL.

Allegations Are Made That Ten Thousand Dollars Was Paid to Representative Otis, Who Exposed the Whole Proceedings—Representative John P. Jones of Stark County Spoken of For United States Senator by the Anti-Hanna Men.

Columbus, O., Jan. 11. — The anti-Hanna men feel confident they will prevent the senator's election, but are not sure that they can combine their forces on any one man.

The Democratic steering committee demanded of Mr. Kurtz that he furnish at least eight affidavits from Republican members that they would stand with the 65 Democratic members in voting against Hanna. The Democratic steering committee report that they are now satisfied. Representative Gayman, chairman of the house Democratic steering committee, went so far as to say Hanna's defeat was assured.

There is no doubt that Senator Hanna was beaten for a week previous to last Friday, when Representative Manuel of Montgomery county changed in his favor. On Saturday the Hanna men secured Representative Griffith of Union, but they have made no accessions since, and it is the general belief that they are short one vote.

It was agreed by a conference committee that the balloting in the two houses would not begin until 2 p. m. There is a feeling among many of those opposing Mr. Hanna that if he is not defeated on the first ballot, or rather by the separate ballots, he will not be defeated at all.

These anti-Hanna workers say they had a majority of 5 against Hanna when they exposed their strength in organizing the legislature last Monday, and if they come down to a majority of only 1 against Hanna that the coalition may not hold together for another day.

They Want Kurtz.

While the opposition still insist on Mr. Kurtz as the candidate against Mr. Hanna, yet they say that Bushnell, Kurtz or any other one will be dropped as soon as it is demonstrated that he can not secure all of the votes of either the anti-Hanna Republicans or the Democratic members.

One of the names most prominently mentioned was that of Representative John P. Jones, who represents Stark county, the home of President McKinley. Mr. Jones is a Republican and prominent in the miners' union. He is for free silver and is advocated as the labor candidate against the capitalist.

While the mass convention of the Republicans was the largest and most indignantly enthusiastic assemblage ever known in the state, the doubtful Republican members of the legislature did not see it or feel it. They were closely and liberally entertained by the opposition at the Great Southern hotel during the afternoon and night.

Representatives Manuel, Griffith, Snider and others had the undivided and constant attention of the other side. There were at times lively scenes when Hanna workers invaded the Great Southern hotel, and also when the hustlers for the opposition went to the Neil House after some of the doubtful members or their friends.

Doubt About Final Vote.

There is doubt about the final vote of some of those on whom both sides have been depending. With the result depending upon one vote either way, there are several who want to be on the winning side, and may change according to their belief as to which side has the necessary 73 votes.

Owing to the apparent closeness of the vote, there are still numerous rumors of bribery for another vote either way. It is noted by some of the more conservative observers that as soon as no further changes were announced each day the contending factions alternated in daily bribery stories. The Hanna men claim to have stenographic notes of an offer of $5,000 by two prominent members of the opposition. The opposition, in turn, claim S. D. Hollenbeck, a member of the Republican state executive committee, went to Cincinnati last Saturday with $10,000.

It is charged that Representative Otis was offered and accepted $10,000. Representative Otis is a Republican who was elected on a fusion ticket in Hamilton county. He voted with the Democrats in the organization, but it is claimed that he made friendly overtures to Hanna workers to entrap them into an offer for the purpose of exposing the same.

The Hanna men make a general denial of the Otis charges, and say that they anticipate other dramatic performances.

Outside the opposing senatorial headquarters, the city was filled with excursionists yelling themselves hoarse for Hanna. The crowds and the excitement surpassed any of the usual convention scenes.

Sensation of the Hour.

Colonel T. C. Campbell, Jerry P. Bliss and others opposing Hanna arrived with Representative John C. Otis from Cincinnati. Several thousand words of sensational matter was soon afterward given out to members of the press about the offers of bribery to Representative Otis. It was prepared by Colonel Campbell.

A summary of the long story, according to Colonel Campbell's statement, is that Henry H. Boyce of New York and formerly of Los Angeles, called on Colonel Campbell last Friday at the latter's office in Cincinnati and offered Campbell $1,000 of a fee to get Representative Otis to vote for Hanna. Campbell and Otis had frequent meetings with Boyce, who claimed to be representing J. Pierpont Morgan and others who have interests in Ohio that might be affected by legislation in Ohio.

Colonel Campbell and Representative Otis say they determined to give Boyce all the latitude he wanted, and set a trap to catch him. Hollenbeck, who was said to be the middleman, was also taken into their counsels, according to the statements. Campbell and Otis say the money was produced and that they are holding it in trust, and that a statement accordingly will follow.

The opposition insist that Hollenbeck has fled to escape arrest. Such a statement is published regarding Hollenbeck, while nothing can be learned here of the whereabouts of Boyce. The Hanna workers now charge that Hanna is being opposed by a combination that includes William R. Hearst of the New York Journal, John R. McLean of the Cincinnati Enquirer and other free silver leaders, as well as by the political coalition that is now arrayed against him openly in this city.

Senator Hanna, when asked with reference to the published charges regarding an alleged offer to Representative Otis, replied: "I deny having authorized any agent or representative of mine to make any offer to Representative Otis or any other member of the assembly. I never sent any man to Cincinnati to see Mr. Otis. I have never known or seen Mr. Boyce in my life, and have had no transactions with him. The whole story is false from beginning to end."

Foraker In Washington.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Senator Foraker has returned to Washington and occupied his seat in the senate for the first time since the Christmas holidays. Referring to the Ohio senatorial contest, he said that it was very bitter and much to be deplored. "I have kept out of it," he said, "and have had nothing to do with it except only to try to make peace. All efforts in this direction have so far been unavailing, but we hope yet to solve the difficulty in some way that will be as nearly satisfactory to the party and all concerned as such settlements usually are. That is all I can say at present without fear of doing more harm than good."

Woman In the Case.

Syracuse, Jan. 11.—A case somewhat resembling that of Assemblyman Griffith at Columbus, O., has developed in the council contest here. Mrs. Clarence E. Rice, wife of the Republican alderman in the Sixth ward announced that her husband would no longer continue with the Republicans in the fight for control of the common council, but would vote for Democratic candidates for city offices.

Kentucky Heard From.

Louisville, Jan. 11. — The Garfield club, the strongest Republican organization in Kentucky, adopted resolutions indorsing Mark Hanna and urging the members of the Ohio legislature to elect him senator.

Saloonkeeper Murdered.

Chicago, Jan. 11. — Shortly before midnight three men entered the saloon of Robert Gudgeon and ordered the saloon keeper to hold up his hands. One of them covered Gudgeon with a revolver, while the others made in the direction of the cash drawer. Gudgeon did not throw up his hands, but made a motion as though to draw a weapon. One of the men then shot him through the head, inflicting a wound that proved fatal within an hour.

French Take Fashoda.

Paris, Jan. 11.—Despite denials, the French government is aware that Captain Marchand has occupied Fashoda, and it intends to base a claim to possession of that region on priority of occupation. Moreover, the French government regards this as the most critical issue in foreign politics.

Convicted of Forgery.

Vincennes, Ind., Jan. 11.—Paul Joyce will be transferred to Michigan City under the indeterminate-sentence law. Early in December he forged the name of Benjamin Knirhim to a check for $17, which he passed on August Bouvy. He was arrested at Sullivan three weeks later.

Discrepancy Discovered.

Terre Haute, Ind., Jan. 11.—William [illegible] retired from the position of cashier of the National State bank here last week. A discrepancy of $18,000 has been found in his accounts and it is announced that the discrepancy was made good.

Sent Back to China.

[illegible], Jan. 11.—Seven of the 24 Chinamen arrested here in November last on the charge of being in the United States unlawfully were started on their way back to China in charge of four guards.

Turf Winners.

At San Francisco—[illegible], San Venado, [illegible], Ellis Jones, [illegible], Wheeler, [illegible].

At New Orleans—[illegible] Burns, Wilson, [illegible], Albert S., [illegible] H. Wood.

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Not Desired by Friends of Civil Service Law.

A MOTION MADE TO CLOSE IT.

The Opposition Think They Will Have No Trouble In Defeating This Motion and Thus Prove That They Are Able to Overthrow the Measure In the Lower Branch of Congress.

Washington, Jan. 11.—In the house the civil service debate occupied the time, and the opposition had decidedly the best of it in point of numbers taking part. Nine of the 11 speakers opposed the law.

The friends of the law are very anxious to shut off further debate, and in this will have the further co-operation of Speaker Reed and the rules committee. Mr. Moody, who has charge of the bill, gave notice that he would test the sense of the house on a motion to close debate.

The opposition immediately sent word to all their ranks to be on hand, and they say they will have no difficulty in defeating the motion.

BEHIND CLOSED DOORS

Will Hawaiian Treaty Be Considered by the Senate.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Senator Davis brought up the subject of ratification of the Hawaiian treaty in accordance with previous notice.

His motion was made soon after the disposal of the routine morning business, and the entire remainder of the day's session, except the time given to the confirmation of nominations, was devoted to the consideration of the question as to whether the treaty should be considered in open session or behind closed doors in executive session.

After a debate of almost two hours upon this point an informal vote was taken, the yeas and nays not being demanded. The decision was overwhelmingly against an open session.

Machinists Made a Kick.

Washington, Jan. 11.—A committee consisting of Representative Prince of Illinois; James O'Connell of Chicago, president of the International Association of Machinists; Hon. Charles G. Dawes, comptroller of the currency, and others called on the president in the interest of the machinists at the Rock Island arsenal. They represented that Commandant Blunt had arbitrarily scaled down the wages of the machinists to the extent of from 1 cent to 53 cents per day, notwithstanding their wages were already lower than those paid for similar work in the immediate vicinity.

Will Not Wait.

Washington, Jan. 11.—It developed as a result of careful inquiry among members of the house committee on banking and currency that a majority was counted on to report without delay on the three financial propositions recommended by the president in his last message. These inquiries indicate that at least nine of the 17 members of the committee will vote to favorably report the president's recommendations without waiting for action on the Gage bill or monetary conference bill, or any other comprehensive measure.

Wants Big Damages.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Messrs. Dittenhoefer, Lauterbach and Limburger, counsel for Dr. Cornelius Herz, appeared before Solicitor Penfield at the state department and presented a claim for indemnity in the sum of $5,000,000 against the French government for an alleged attempt to persecute Mr. Herz. The case is remarkable in many ways, and it is said at the department is without a precedent.

Has Not Yet Succeeded.

Washington, Jan. 11.—United States Minister Angell at Constantinople has reported to the state department that he has no yet succeeded in securing an assent from the Turkish government to his demand for the payment of an indemnity for the American mission property destroyed during the Armenian outbreak.

The Pinta Turned Over.

Washington, Jan. 11.—The navy department formally turned the Pinta over to the naval militia of San Diego, Cal. She will be taken in hand by the militia at San Francisco and driven under her own steam.

Charged With Arson.

Marion, O., Jan. 11.—Tilden Manley, farmer, is charged with setting fire to William Rush's barn on New Year's day.

Back Taxes Paid.

Toledo, Jan. 11.—The Woolson Spice company has paid into the Lucas county treasury over $30,000 back taxes.

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MAY BE A FLOOD.

But It Is Not Expected to Reach Very Large Proportions.

Cincinnati, Jan. 11.—A small flood is expected in the Ohio river from the mild weather and heavy rains from its source downward during the last few days. The stage here will reach the government danger line of 45 feet, which is by no means dangerous to property in any of the cities at this point. All the tributaries of the Ohio on both banks from here to Pittsburg are pouring out their floods.

Inaugural Address.

Columbus, O., Jan. 11. — Governor Bushnell, in his inaugural address, briefly reviewed the progress of Ohio from the days of Edward Tiffin, its first governor, and called upon the people to assist in obtaining good results from the administration. He pointed out that the legislature could do much good or harm, as it pleased, for the state.

Large Grain Deal.

Toledo, Jan. 11.—One of the largest grain deals ever made in Ohio was that whereby F. O. Paddock and James Hodge sold their two-thirds interest in the firm of Paddock, Hodge & Company to Mr. Justice H. Bowman, the third member of the firm. The amount involved is not given out, but it must be considerably in excess of $300,000.

Convicted of Criminal Assault.

Logan, O., Jan. 11.—Isaac Bryan was convicted of criminal assault upon the person of Minnie Myers, 11. Charles Shoemaker, a witness for the defense, was immediately arrested charged with living in adultery with his wife's sister.

Dull Trade Responsible.

Cincinnati, Jan. 11.—The Tennessee Lumber company of this city made an assignment to W. M. Kemper. Assets and liabilities are each $50,000. Dull trade is the cause assigned.

Suffering From Blood Poison.

Newmarket, O., Jan. 11.—Miss Nancy Parker, 19, ran a small piece of bone into her finger while slicing meat, and is now suffering from bloodpoison.

Probably Fatally Stabbed.

Springfield, O., Jan. 11.—Glenna Lewis probably fatally stabbed Carrie Brown in a fight in a saloon. Both were in love with the same man.

Started For the Klondike.

Bucyrus, O., Jan. 11.—F. C. Flaherty, Will Clymer and W. T. Reid have started for the Klondike for a two years' stay.

Fremont Man Insane.

Fremont, O., Jan. 11. — Clemens J. Kreitz, who disappeared last week, has been located in Cincinnati in a demented condition.

KENTUCKY JUSTICE.

Winchesters Are the Ruling Spirit Around Some Courts.

Mount Vernon, Ky., Jan. 11.—When the trial of William Hundley for the murder of John Lawrence was called Judge Williams ordered the courtroom cleared, so that all who desired to return might be searched and relieved of their weapons.

Five minutes afterward Winchester rifles, in front of the courthouse, in the hands of Pate and Eliza Langford, were firing at ex-Jailer William Mullins and his friends. Several revolvers replied from various quarters. Several persons were injured.

In the courtroom, when the shooting occurred, Hundley, who thought his father had been killed, seized the gun of a guard and attempted to rush to the fray. It required six men to hold him.

The trouble originated during the last campaign, when a number of leading Republicans bolted the ticket as nominated, among them being Sheriff Mullins, Mr. King and many others.

At Crooked Creek precinct, at the November election, Sheriff Mullins attempted to arrest some parties. A fight came up, when one of the Langford boys was killed and two others wounded, including John Lawrence, who was killed a few days ago by William Hundley. A fued is growing and its end is not in sight.

The End In Sight.

London, Jan. 11.—There are signs that the end of the great strike in the engineer trades of Great Britain is approaching. Large numbers of Glasgow engineers applied for reinstatement, while a meeting of the engineers of Fairfield decided to continue work in spite of their previous threats to leave work when the first 25 per cent of their number were locked out.

An Editor Missing.

Warsaw, Ind., Jan. 11.—Alfred A. Kist, publisher of The Weekly County Optic, absented himself several days ago, and on Saturday last a letter was received from him in effect that he was hopelessly in debt and would not return. The publication of The Optic will be continued by the mortgagees.

Eyeball Crushed.

Martinsville, Ind., Jan. 11. — While Jasper Bundin of Jefferson township was assisting in moving a house one of the chains broke and a link struck him in the right eye, destroying the sight and completely crushing the eyeball. It is feared that the injury will prove fatal.

Brown Will Stay.

Shanghai, Jan. 11.—The agreement between England, Japan and Russia with respect to Korea involves a restoration of the status quo and the reinstatement of McLeavy Brown as chief commissioner of customs.

Will Be No Starvation.

Port Townsend, Wash., Jan. 11.—Nine men from Dawson City arrived here, bringing advices up to Dec. 9. All say that while provisions are scarce there will be no starvation.

Sued the City.

Kokomo, Ind., Jan. 11.—The city of Kokomo has been sued by John Arbuckle to enforce payment on a contract under the garbage ordinance.

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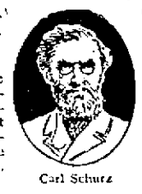

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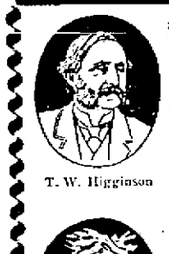

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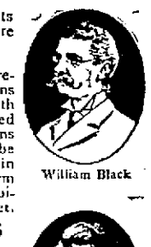

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SHORT FICTION

In addition to the three long serial stories, the publication of which will continue during the entire year, there will be short stories of every kind, of which it is only possible to mention a few titles here.

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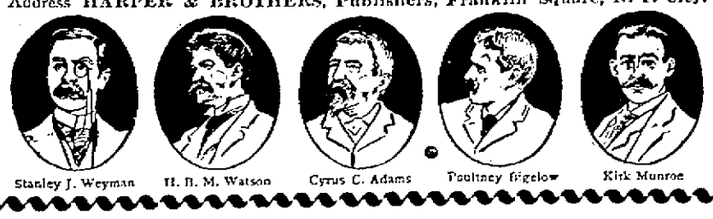

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POSTPONED.

Trial of Ex-policeman Heisel Goes Over Until Tomorrow.

Counsel for Defense Out of City—Attempt to Waive Examination—"Gallery Gods" at the Opera House Fight—Meat and Brass Thieves—A Colored Couple Charged With Adultery.

The trial of Ex-Policeman Fred Heisel for pointing fire-arms, set for this morning, was continued over until tomorrow on account of the absence of Mr. Funk, the attorney for the defense. An attempt will be made by the defense to waive examination and have the case go over to another court. This plan of procedure, however, is quite likely to fall through. Mr. Heisel will be given a fair and impartial hearing before a jury of twelve disinterested men. Frank B. Finney has been engaged to conduct the prosecution. But few witnesses have been subpoenaed and the trial should not last but a short time.

The gallery gods raised merry shoal at the opera house last night. There was standing room only, and as the crowd shifted about in the scramble for seats, Fred Bland, colored, shoved young Frank Treat against the wall. Some angry words were exchanged and it was agreed the two should meet after the show and settle the matter. Bland organized his party and waited for Treat down on the street after the show was over. The meeting occurred in front of Charley Lambley's saloon and the two were soon rolling in the street. Policeman Ingles arrested them and took them to the station house, where they were followed by a howling mob of half a hundred boys. When arraigned this morning they pleaded guilty to disorderly conduct and were fined $1 and costs each.

Mayor Glidden yesterday caused the proprietors of the Arlington Hotel, the Biggs House, John Doherty and "Buddy" Watts to be notified that they must remove the slot machines that have been in operation in their respective places of business. As a result there is not a "nickle in the slot" machine in operation in town today.

The Ironton brass thief, Allenworth, arrested here Monday, was taken to Ironton today by Marshal Mittlebanser. Detective Miller, of the C. & O., and Master Mechanic Sutton, of the Russell C. & O. shops, from which the brass was stolen, were down and identified the brass. It was stolen several weeks ago. There was 388 pounds of it, valued at about $35.

Ed Connors and Flora Farley, a colored couple, are held on a charge of adultery. They have been living together on Eleventh street for several months. Connors works at the Burgess.

Henry and Sanford Webb, of Kentucky, are held on a charge of stealing meat from Phil Thompson, the butcher. They have been pilfering meat from the shop for some time. Monday they were caught with a piece of meat identified by Mr. Thompson as having been stolen from his shop.

"What has become of all the tall men on the road?" asked the mayor this morning as he looked over the heads of a dozen bobos in for a night's lodging. There was not a man in the lot over 5½ feet in height. They were given a bologna breakfast and ordered to leave town before eleven o'clock.

THE REMAINS

Of the Famous Garfield Club Called on Senator Hanna, According to the State Journal.

The Ohio State Journal gently "rubs it in" on the Portsmouth delegation as follows:

"Four hundred loyal Republicans from Scioto county, comprising the McKinley battery, what remains of the famous Garfield club of Portsmouth, arrived during the early forenoon upon a Norfolk and Western special, accompanied by a couple of hundred from Ironton and way points. The party was met at the depot by the Fourteenth Benigant band and escorted to the Neil House, where prompt and effective demand was made for Mr. Hanna. Mr. Hanna appeared only for a few moments and excused his limper speaking by saying that it was the duty of all loyal partisans to assist in the glory of the inauguration, and that whatever he could say would only be for the good of the party and the advancement of the nation. He was cheered roundly. The club positively refused to take any part in the inaugural parade, but marched to the Auditorium meeting in good form, with flags and banners flying to emphasizing their loyalty to Republican interests and the party favorite."

Rubbers to fit any shoe at the Kendall shoe Co. The goods and the prices will suit you.

To Get an Artificial Arm.

Fred Oliver, the C. P. & T. freight conductor who had his left arm crushed off near Peebles several weeks ago, left yesterday for New York City, accompanied by his wife. His object was to secure an artificial arm of the latest make. It is thought that by getting this he will be saved a great deal of inconvenience.

Use "Superior" Canned Corn.

For five wrappers we will send you free our booklet, "How to Cook Canned Goods." SEARS & NICHOLS.

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Ohio.—Rain tonight and Wednesday.

EDWARD P. ELLIOTT

Takes Up Hazel Kirke at Bigelow Course Monday Night and Entertains a Large Audience.

Edward P. Elliott, the impersonator, appeared at Bigelow Monday evening as the second attraction in the lecture course. He was greeted by the usual large audience. After a few short recitations Mr. Elliott took the play, "Hazel Kirke," and carried it through the three long and rather wearisome acts. It is a matter of regret that he did not choose some other subject for a display of his powers as an impersonator. The entertainment was over two hours long. The audience was well pleased with the entertainment.

Young Men.

Why go to a boarding house where you have to put up with the inconvenience of having to be there just on time to get your meals, and then to be crowded in at a table where you cannot raise your hand to your mouth without the greatest trouble? Why not get a furnished room and take your meals at Walker's restaurant, 35 Gallia street, where you can get twenty-one meal tickets for $3.00 and get your meals at any hour and have them cooked to order? His table is always supplied with the best the market affords and everything cooked like your mother used to cook it. Try this plan once and you will find it the best, as well as the cheapest, as you don't have to pay for a meal if you miss it. 11-3t

Services at the First Presbyterian Church.

Next Sabbath morning the Communion of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the First Presbyterian church, and it is earnestly desired that as far as possible every member of the church be present to renew his vows and to welcome the new members to be received at that time. Services will be held upon Wednesday and Friday of this week, at 7 p. m., and also on Saturday, at 3 p. m., which all are urged to attend.

"Health is wealth," and a dollar saved is a dollar made. You can preserve your health and save money and shoe leather by getting a pair of rubbers. We keep a full stock, and can fit any shoe at the Kendall Shoe Co.

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Special January Sale.

To reduce stock preparatory to inventory we have made some very interesting prices. Below we quote some of the good things on which you can save from 25 to 50 per cent.

Dress Goods.

A superb stock to select from.

20 styles 32 to 38 inches wide, were 25 and 29c, now 22c.

33 styles 35 to 50 inches wide, were 39 and 50c, now 33c.

32 styles 38 to 50 inches wide, were 50c, now 43c.

13 styles 38 to 50 inches wide, were 75c, now 50c.

15 styles 50 inches wide, were 75c and $1.00, now 69c.

About 50 pattern lengths of exclusive Novelties at greatly reduced prices.

Special things in cheap dress goods at 10c, 12½c, 15c and 19c.

Silks.

Our reduced prices on Fancy Silks affords a splendid opportunity to secure a Waist or Skirt very cheap.

Fancy Silks were 89c, now 59c.
Fancy Silks were $1.00, now 69c and 79c.
Fancy Silks were $1.40, now 98c.
Choice Black Brocade Silks, 59c.

Jackets.

Ladies' Jackets at $2.50, $3.00, $4.00, $5.00 and $7.50, worth double. Every one must be sold. The prices are going to do it.

Capes.

A Plush Cape trimmed with Braid, Jet and Fur at $1.98.

Cloth Capes at $1.69, $1.98, $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50.

A very good assortment yet of Children's garments at proportionate reductions.

Mackintoshes.

We have a small lot of Ladies' Mackintoshes that were $7.00 and $8.00, to close at $5.00.

Fleeced Wrappers.

Red ground with black figures, good style and well made, were $1.25, to close at 98c.

Muslin Underwear.

19c Table — 4 styles Corset Covers. 3 styles Ladies Drawers, regular price 25c, 29c.

29c Table — 1 style Ladies' Gowns. 6 styles Ladies' Drawers. 4 styles Ladies' Corset Covers. regular price 38c and 40c.

39c Table — 3 styles Drawers. 4 styles Corset Covers. 2 styles Skirts. Regular price 50c.

4 styles Ladies' Gowns worth 50c for 43c.
5 styles Ladies' Gowns worth 89c for 59c.
3 styles Ladies' Gowns worth $1.00 for 89c.
6 styles Ladies' Gowns worth $1.50 for $1.19.

All grades Ladies' Skirts, Corset Covers, and Misses and Children's garments reduced. The prices above barely cover price of materials with making thrown in.

Outing Flannel Gowns.

Ladies' 50c Gowns for 43c.
Ladies' 75c Gowns for 63c.
Ladies' 89c Gowns for 69c.
Ladies' $1.00 Gowns for 83c.
Misses' 50c Gowns for 43c.
Misses' 75c Gowns for 59c.

Domestics Cheap

Apron Ginghams 3½c.
Apron Ginghams, best, 5c.
Indigo Blue Calico, 4c.
Good Dark Calico 3c.
Dark Red Printed Calico 4c.
Silver Grey and Mourning Calico 4c.
Light Shirting Calico 3c.
Good Cotton Crash 3c.
All Linen Crash 5c.
Fleeced Wrapper Goods 6½c.

Millinery.

Some Fine Trimmed Hats yet in stock at half price. Sailors and Walking Hats at low prices.

Underwear.

We are offering these at reduced prices. A good time now to replenish your wardrobe. A handsome saving made by taking advantage of this sale.

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If you want groceries, fresh and salt meats, canned goods or fruits, dry goods, notions, confectionery or anything kept in a first class general store,

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He keeps all these things on hand and his prices will suit you.

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Supply your Wants THIS WEEK.

For this week we place on sale the biggest bargains in wrappers that you have seen for many days. See our window display of wrappers at 59c. You would consider them a bargain at 75c. We have cut the prices on every thing in the store. And a visit to our store will be to your interest. Fleeced lined wrappers at greatly reduced prices. Calico wrappers as low as 39c. Flanellette Night-gowns all $1.00. Gowns in this sale for 75c. All Flanellette gowns sold at $1.25 for 98c. Children's and Misses' Flanellette gowns for 50c and 59c. Dressing Sacques at 45c, 75c and $1.00.

Woolen shirt waists at reduced prices.

Woolen and fleeced hosiery for Ladies, Misses and Children.

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Lot No. 6, Embroideries	7	c a yard
Lot No. 7, Embroideries	8⅓	c a yard
Lot No. 8, Embroideries	10	c a yard
Lot No. 9, Embroideries	12½	c a yard
Lot No. 10, Embroideries	15	c a yard
Lot No 11, Embroideries	18	c a yard
Lot No. 12, Embroideries, extra wide only	25	c a yard
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Just received a line of Ladies' Mull and Net Ties, 25c each.

A few more All Wool Flannel Skirts left, 50c apiece.
Ladies' fleece lined Underwear, 2 for 25c.
Ladies' fleece lined Hosiery at 10c and 15c a pair.

John F. Steahly,

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